



BIG REDUCTION SALE Beginning Jan. 8th

Green Trading Stamps
will not be given
away during this sale

Entire Stock
of Dry Goods, Clothing, Furnishings, Shoes,
Hats, Caps, Etc.

will be distributed into the homes of the people for less than actual cost of raw material

ANY LADIES' COAT
in the store will be sold for
\$5.00

Now is your opportunity to purchase your
winter coat.

Beginning on Saturday, January 8th, 1916

A Sale With a Reason

Circumstances have combined to make this sale advisable at this time. The season is backward and we find ourselves overstocked. A large part of our capital is tied up in merchandise and we need immediate relief. Heroic sacrifices are sometimes necessary—this is one of the times. We can't pay our bills with the merchandise we have left, so we must turn it into cash at all hazards. A word to the wise is sufficient. THE STORE WITH A REPUTATION. For our word has been our bond. We will continue to do business on the same honorable lines that have marked our business in Grayling for the past many years. We herein guarantee every price, every statement and will absolutely and cheerfully refund the money on every garment not satisfactory to the purchaser. You may take it home, keep it five days and if not entirely satisfactory you can return it and your money will be cheerfully refunded. We will continue to give the people the best and greatest values in Dry Goods, Clothing, etc. Our financial ability, coupled with our wide knowledge of the mercantile business, makes us masters of the Dry Goods and Clothing field in Grayling forever. Our sale is bona fide and legitimate, and will be for two weeks only. Every man, woman and child in Grayling and surrounding country are well aware of the high grade merchandise that has been carried by us in the past.

Cast Your Eyes on these Startling Prices:

Suits

One lot Men's and Young Men's Suits in rich velour and worsteds, broken sizes. Formerly sold for \$12 and \$15, now for	\$7.45
One lot Men's and Young Men's Suits in all the newest effects in woolens. Suits which formerly sold for \$15 and \$18, now for	\$8.95
One lot Men's and Young Men's Suits, all the pretty new shades of brown, green, tan, olive and gray, also blacks and blues. Sold formerly for \$18 and \$20, now at	\$9.85
One lot Suits, absolutely pure worsteds, which formerly sold for \$18 and \$20, and some at \$22. Fabrics of this quality are good enough for suits considerably more in price, all shades, including blacks and blues, now at	\$10.45
One lot Men's and Young Men's Suits, fine cashmeres and worsteds, in smart satin stripes, in the various shades of blue, gray and stone. Suits that formerly sold for \$20 and \$22, now	\$12.65
One lot Men's and Young Men's Suits, in fancy satins and silk chain stripes, suits that are worth \$22 and \$25 and will not be shown in other stores until spring, now at	\$13.95



Overcoats

One lot Men's and Young Men's fancy mixed and black Overcoats, regular \$10 values at	\$6.49
One lot Men's and Young Men's Overcoats, automobile or regular style, fancy or black Coats, sold at \$10 and \$12, now going at	\$7.95
One lot Men's and Young Men's Overcoats, heavy cloth, genuine cheviot, fancy and plain, an excellently appointed Overcoat, new protective styles, regular \$12 and \$15 values at	\$8.85
One lot Men's heavy working pants, worth \$1.50, go at	\$.99
One lot Men's heavy working pants, worth \$1.75, go at	1.19
One lot men's regular \$2.50 pants, go at	1.89
Another lot of Men's pants, \$3 value go at	1.98
Another lot of Men's pants, reg. \$4 value at	2.98
One lot Men's Kersey working pants, dark gray, worth \$2.00 and \$2.50, go at	1.79
Hosiery	
25c Hose 19c 15c Hose 11c 10c Hose 7c	



Boys' and Children's Suits

One lot of Boys' Suits, worth up to \$3.00, at	\$1.19
One lot of Boys' Suits, sold at their actual worth at \$4.00, go at	1.95
One lot of Worsted and Scotch Plaids, worth \$5.00 at	2.45
One lot of Boys' Suits, regular \$6.00 and \$7.00 values at	3.45
Boys' Overcoats	
One lot of Boys' Overcoats, regular \$3.00 values, go at	\$1.95
One lot of Boys' Overcoats, regular \$3.50 values for	2.48
One lot of Boys' Overcoats, regular \$5 and \$6 values, military and regular styles, go at	3.48
One lot of Boys' Overcoats, \$9 and \$10 values, presto and regular styles, in fancy Scotch mixture, also plain black, go at	6.45
Boys' Pants	
One lot Boys' Knee Pants, regular 75c values at	19c
One lot Boys' Knee Pants, regular 75c values at	39c
One lot Boys' Knee Pants, regular \$1.00 values at	59c

Ladies' Dress Goods

\$1.50 Black Serge	98c
1.25 Voile	98c
1.00 Suitings at	79c
85c Panamas	59c
65c all wool Serge	49c
50c Mohairs and Serges	39c
25c Tricot Flannels and new Daries	19c
12 1/2c Ginghau at	8 1/2c
8c Ginghau at	6 1/2c
7c and 8c Prints	5c
6c Prints at	4 1/2c
25c Muslins and Waistings at	19c
15c Muslins at	10 1/2c
10c Muslins at	7 1/2c
12 1/2c Sheetings at	9 1/2c
20c Fleeced Goods at	13 1/2c
18c Fleeced Goods at	12 1/2c
15c Fleeced Goods at	10 1/2c
12 1/2c Fleeced Goods at	9 1/2c

Shoes for Men and Boys

200 pairs of men's patent leather, gun metal and calf, \$4.00 shoes now	2.89
300 pairs men's shoes, patent leather, calf, gun metal and vici, a \$3.50 grade now at	2.69
200 pairs men's shoes in patent leather, calf, gun metal and vici kid, the reg. 2.50 grade at	1.79
The \$3.00 shoes for	2.19
A big lot of boys' shoes, reg. \$2.00 values at	1.39

Furnishing Goods

100 dozen heavy Canvas Gloves, regular 10c value, sale price	5c
50 dozen men's heavy fleece lined Shirts and Drawers, worth 50c and 75c at	35c
25 dozen men's all wool Shirts and Drawers, worth \$1.00 and 1.25	79c
10 dozen men's all wool Flannel Shirts worth 1.50 go at	99c
10 dozen all wool flannel Shirts worth \$1.00 and 1.25, go at	79c
15 dozen heavy Jersey Overshirts, regular 50c value at	39c
\$1.00 men's and boys' Sweater Coats go at	79c
\$1.50 men's and boys' Sweater Coats now at	99c
\$2.25 men's and boys' Sweater Coats now selling at	\$1.7
\$3.00 men's and boys' Sweater Coats now selling at	\$1.99
Men's all wool Socks, 25c and 35c value, go at	18c
Men's all wool Socks, 50c val., go at	39c
25 doz. mule skin Gloves and Mittens	19c

Ladies' Suits

\$22.00 Suits at	\$15.95
20.00 Suits	14.50
18.00 Suits	13.00
17.50 Suits	11.95
16.50 Suits	10.39
12.50 Suits	8.98
Children's \$3.50 Bearskin Coats at	2.25

Ladies' Skirts

\$12.50 and 15.00 skirts	\$7.98
10.00 skirts	6.98
9.00 skirts	5.98
8.50 and 8.00 skirts	5.25
7.00 and 6.50 skirts	4.59
5.50 and 5.00 skirts	3.98
4.00 and 3.50 skirts	2.59

Ladies' Shirt Waists

\$6.00 waists at	\$4.25
5.50 waists at	3.98
5.00 waists at	3.75
4.00 waists at	2.98
3.50 waists at	2.50



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SCANDINAVIAN NEWS

SUMMARY OF IMPORTANT HAP-
PENINGS IN FAR OFF
NORTHWEST.

ITEMS FROM THE OLD HOME

Resume of the Most Important Events
in Sweden, Norway and Denmark—
Of Interest to the Scandinavians
in America.

DENMARK.

The reindeer park between Viborg and Helsingør now contains 800 reindeer. The result was accomplished at great cost. On account of the high prices of meat, about half of the animals will be butchered this winter.

The number of Icelandic fishermen who lose their lives at sea is very large. In one particular year, 1906, the percentage of the fishermen who perished at sea was larger than that suffered by the German people on account of the Franco-Prussian war of 1870-71.

The Danish farmers are using large quantities of artificial fertilizers every year. They buy the fertilizers almost exclusively from what is virtually a trust covering all of Denmark and making inroads into Sweden and Norway by underbidding. The farmers are really too bright to suffer long under this grasping monopoly. Co-operation is the remedy. The farmers are organizing themselves for starting a factory on the co-operative plan.

A number of men in Fyen are working for the establishment of an innermission seminary in the island. There are two such in the country, one in Jylland and one in Sjælland.

The Danes are developing new hunting methods on account of the enormously high price of gunpowder. It is said that more than one thrifty Nimrod killed rabbits by throwing potatoes at them. Even wooden shoes have been called into service for the same purpose. But a man at Bruges went all of them one better. There were some pheasants close by. He had no powder. But he had some eel traps and he arranged them as best he could, and don't you think some of the birds went into them and got caught!

Jens Peter Paulsen of St. Rind had a mare that was getting so old that he could not well use her any longer. A man offered her \$70 for the old thing. But in order to save her from possible suffering he sold her to the butcher for \$35. Even then he did not leave her until she had been killed.

SWEDEN.

Plans are being perfected for the celebration of the tenth anniversary of the accession to the throne by King Gustaf V. The event will occur in 1917. Preparations are started at such an early date on account of the intended scope of the celebration. Among other things it is proposed to publish a great historical work on the Bernadotte family. A large national fund may be raised for some charitable purpose and named after the king and the queen, provided they give their consent. There are two reasons why the king's ten-year jubilee is selected for the celebration. The four hundredth anniversary of the Lutheran reformation will occur in 1917, and the same year will mark the end of the first century of the royal rank of the Bernadotte family.

The capture of the Swedish steamer *Mildur* by a German submarine has intensified the resentment expressed because of the alleged German infringement of Swedish territory.

Queen Victoria went to Karlsruhe to attend the celebration of her mother's birthday.

When the Henry Ford peace party, minus Mr. Ford, arrived in Sweden, the Swedish newspapers were full of articles lauding Ford, but denouncing correspondents attached to the party, alleging they were responsible for the dissensions. The Dagbated seriously informed its readers that a reporter pushed his way into Ford's room at Christiania with a pistol. This, the Dagbated added, probably frightened Ford so badly that he decided to return to America. At a meeting held several leaders explained the Ford plan to 300 Social Democrats. They registered their approval and probably will give the party support. The Swedish papers declare that Ford's expedition might actually have hastened the war's end had it not been badly managed.

Mrs. Lamm has made a donation of \$27,000 for the establishment of a home for blind people in Stockholm. It is proposed to rent a house large enough to accommodate ten-to-fifteen blind persons. The city poor board has estimated that it will cost about eighty dollars a year to support each of them.

A number of men interested in the liquor trade in Stockholm organized a society for the express purpose of combating the temperance movement.

At the request of the Railway Men's Total Abstinence association the railway department has caused posters to be put up in the dining cars and the stations of the state railways, announcing that the consumption of intoxicants is forbidden at such places.

A new workingman's bank, the General Savings bank of Sweden, has been started in Stockholm. It is built on perfectly sound principles. The bank will have committees in all large cities and industrial centers of the country for receiving deposits.

Sweden is experiencing the severest cold in 150 years. The temperature at some places has fallen to 62 degrees below zero.

Adolph Olen, the Swedish consul in Trondhjem, has donated \$2,700 to the Swedish society, Svea, in that city. The gift will be divided between the building fund and the aid fund of the society.

Advices from Stockholm report that in pursuance of the Swedish government's decision to hold up parcel post packages passing through Sweden to or from England in retaliation for the removal by the British authorities from steamships of packages for Sweden, 10,000 parcels from England for Russia are now being held at Gothenburg. At Haparanda, it is said, 2,500 packages are being detained.

About \$500 vacant lots in the city of Gothenburg were used for raising potatoes last summer. The demand was so great that the poor board is prepared to offer about 1,600 lots for this purpose next year.

NORWAY.

John J. Hammer of Stiansen found an ax, a sickle, and a spearhead while turning new land. The objects were sent to the archeological collection in Trondhjem. The find was made at a burial place from the ninth century.

The ax and the sickle were in a remarkably good state of preservation.

The city of Drammen is the scene of a religious revival the power of which seems to exceed that of every other movement of its kind remembered by the oldest inhabitant. It is admitted that the revival is sound and sane, which cannot always be said of great religious upheavals.

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EVACUATE THE PENINSULA

Great Offensive By Allies Begun Early
in War Is Officially Declared
to Have Failed of Purpose.

London—The Anglo-French campaign against the Dardanelles has been abandoned, it being officially announced here Sunday that the complete evacuation of Gallipoli peninsula has been carried out.

The withdrawal was orderly and without loss, the statement says, only one British soldier being wounded and no French, while no guns were lost except 17 that were worn out, these being destroyed before the evacuation.

General Sir Charles Monro, in command of the expedition, reporting the withdrawal, praises the work done by the General Birdwood (commander of the forces recently withdrawn from the Anzac region) and General Davies, and gives credit to the naval forces under Admiral de Robeck for invaluable assistance in the difficult operation. The statement of the war office follows:

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THE BATTLE-CRY

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CHAPTER XXIV—Continued.

The school buildings slept in silent shadows, except that from the open door of the room where her piano stood there came a soft flooding of lamplight—a single dash of orange in the nocturne of silver and gray. He went up very quietly, pausing to drink of the fragrance of the honeysuckle, and there drifted out to him, as he paused, the music of the piano and the better music of her voice.

She was singing a love song.

Though he had sent no word of his coming, she was once more in evening dress, all black save for a crimson flower at her breast and one in her hair. But this time the sight of her in a costume so foreign to the hills did not distress him; it was a night that called for wonders.

She rose as the man's footstep sounded on the floor, and then, at memory of their last meeting, the color mounted to her cheeks and he took her again in his arms.

She raised her hands to his shoulders and tried to push him away, but he held her firmly, and when she sought to tell him that they must find their way back to the colorless level of friendship, he could feel the wild flutter of her heart.

"Listen," she protested. "You must listen."

But Bad Anse Hayey laughed. "Ever since the first time I saw ye," he declared, "I've been listenin'. It has been a duel always between you and me. But the duel's over now, an' this time I win."

She looked up and her pupils began to widen with that intense gaze which is the drawing aside of the curtains from a woman's soul, and as though she realized that she could not trust herself to his eyes, she turned her face away. Only in its profile could he read the struggle between mind and heart, and what he read filled him with elation.

And, she said in a very low voice, "give me a truce. For one hour let me think. It involves both our lives for always; let me at least have the chance to be safe. Give me an hour."

The man stepped back and released her, and she turned and led the way out to the porch, where she sank down in the hammock with her face buried in both hands. When at length she looked up she was smiling rather wanly.

"It can't be, dear," she said. But while she argued with words and sensible reasons, the night was arguing, too—arguing for him with all its sense-steeping fragrance and alluring cadences and appeals to sleeping fires in their hearts.

And while she talked he made no response, but sat there silently attentive. At last he looked at his watch and put back in his pocket. He rose and said quietly, but with a tone of perfect finality:

"Your truce is over."

"But don't you see? You haven't answered one of my arguments."

Anse Hayey laughed once more.

"I didn't come to argue," he said.

"I came to act." He drew from his pocket the license and the ring.

"Brother Anse Talhot is waitin' over at my house to marry us. Wit you go over there or shall I go back an' fetch him here?"

She took an involuntary step toward him with lifted arms, and then, with a strong effort, as if struggling against spell, she drew back again, and her voice came very low and broken.

"I can't—I can't!" she pleaded.

"But I wish to God I could."

Then Anse Hayey began to speak.

"Ye've talked, an' I've listened to ye. Ye've taken my life away from me an' made a little scrap of your own life—ye've let us both come to needin' each other more than food an' drink an' breath. For me there's no life without ye. In all the earth there's just you—you—you! For every true woman in the world a day comes when there's just one man, an' for every man there's just one woman. When that day comes—nothin' else counts. That's why all them reasons of yours don't mean anything!"

His voice had the ring of triumph, as he added: "You're goin' to marry me tonight. Come!"

He raised both arms and held them out, and thought for a moment she hung back, her eyes were still irresistibly held by his and the magnetism that dwelled in them. With a gasping exclamation that was half surrender and half echo of his own triumph she awoke into his embrace.

As she locked her fingers careggingly behind his dark head, she wished for words fine and splendid beyond the ordinary to tell him of her love. But no phrases of eloquence came.

Then she felt his arms grow stiffly rigid and he was pressing her from him with a gentle insistence, while his face turned to peer into the moonlight with the tenacity of one who is listening not only with his ears, but with every nerve of his being.

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hardened and the jaw angle stiffened, and the lips drew themselves into their old line of warlike sternness. She looked again into the face of the mountaineer, the feudist, of the wild creature turning to stand at bay.

For a moment they remained motionless, and her fingers rested on his arms and felt the strain on his tautened biceps.

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CRAWFORD AVALANCHE

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fashed a ghost of his rare and boyish smile. "I'm past makin' now. I came because—I'm dyin'—an' I wanted to die in your arms!"

"You shan't die," she breathed softly between her teeth. "My arms shall always be around you."

But he shook his head and his figure sagged a little against her knees. "I know—when I'm done" he said slowly. "It's all right now—I've done got here. That's enough—I loves ye."

For a time she wondered whether he had lost consciousness, and she laid him down slowly and brought cushions with which to soften his position. It was almost daybreak now.

She sat there beside him, and as her heart beat close to him she seemed to draw from it some of its abundance vitality, for he revived a little, and though his eyes were closed and she had to bend down to catch his words, her elation grew—two more advances.

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A. M. LEWIS, DRUGGIST

Crawford Avalanche.

GRAYLING, THURSDAY, JAN. 13

The Tax Roll's In' the Bank.

Now the tax roll's in the bank,

Though our purse is lean and lank

Let's put on a cheerful grin;

And look out—the needful's in

To go and pay our bounty.

Which we owe to the land and county.

Let the knockers knock and stow!

And lean against a post and howl;

Because their taxes now are more

Than they were in days of yore.

What's the use of being sore

Better far to wear a smile.

And keep adding to our pile,

So we can our bounty bring.

To the tax roll in the Spring,

We'll let the knockers blow and bawl.

And when they've said their little all,

Then we'll up and join the hoister,

And like a lot of busy roosters,

Early and late we'll keep on crowing,

And so we'll keep our county growing.

LILLIAN C. NIELSON.

Local News

Subscribe for the Avalanche.

Living Hodge is clerking at the Royal cafe.

School will begin in the new building next Monday.

Let Hathaway aid you in that watch purchase. Either cash or credit.

Bury the past and don't mark it with a monument. Herbert Kaufman,

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Kastenholz Friday of last week.

Sverin Jenson has been confined to his home for the past week with illness.

Mrs. Geo. L. Alexander has been spending the past week with friends in Detroit.

Miss Nina Petersen returned Friday evening from a short visit with friends in Johannesburg.

For a fine bargain in a first class hard coal base burner and kitchen range see Want ad column.

Mrs. Mesta Hatch was absent from her duties as bookkeeper at Sorenson Bros. the fore part of the week on account of illness.

Dan Mosher has commenced construction of a bungalow on his lot on Cedar street next to the Wm. McCullough residence.

If Senator Works pushes thru his bill for an army of a million men, with five acres of free land for each enlistment, we are ready to enlist in every recruiting office in the country. Some patriotism, that!

The meeting of the Ladies' Missionary society, that was to be held at the home of Mrs. J. H. McKone, Friday evening, Jan. 14th, has been postponed on account of illness of many of its members.

The ladies of the Good Fellowship club wish to thank the business men and all others, including the Women's Home Missionary society for their contributions toward the Christmas boxes that were sent to the homes of the needy at Christmas time.

Tasty Delicacies For Your Table



High Grade
Teas and Coffees

Pickles, ketchup, sauces, horseradish, caviar and all other spicy things that go to add to the pleasantness of your meals—we have them all. Build up your appetite, and you will build up your health. If you do not relish your food it will do you no good.

H. PETERSEN

The store that gives Quality, Service and Price

Speak up! What shall we do with our grannies?

Try our special dinner and luncheon Sunday, 35 cents. The Royal Cafe.

The D. Y. P. society will hold a candy sale at the post office Saturday afternoon, January 15th.

School will open in all grades at the new building next Monday, rumors to the contrary notwithstanding.

Fire insurance is too cheap to be without. Why are you so negligent?

GEO. L. ALEXANDER & SON.

Miss Hilda Anderson arrived home last Thursday after a several week's visit spent with relatives in Saginaw.

Anyone contemplating installing a telephone will do well to order at once as a new directory will be out the 1st of February.

Miss Mildred Bunting has been absent from the telephone office the past several days on account of a serious attack of a gripe.

Ever notice it, old top? Whenever a fellow sits down suddenly on a slippery piece of ice about the only one who doesn't laugh is the gent who does the cussing.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Shoemaker expect to leave today for Bay City to make their future home. Mr. Shoemaker

has employment in the freight offices in that city, similar to the one he held in the local office.

The fourth number on the high school entertainment course will be given by the Gretchen Cox Concert Co. at the Opera house next Monday evening. The sale of reserved seats will begin at the Central Drug store

Saturday morning at nine o'clock. Admission, 25 or 40 cents. Reserved seats, ten cents extra.

The Frederic school is going to have a fair at their opera house Saturday, January 15th. There will be fortune telling, shooting gallery, a big show and big oyster and chicken supper. Dancing all afternoon and evening. This is given under the auspices of the Frederic school, and the proceeds go toward the payment of a Victrola. Everybody invited.

The Ladies Aid met at the home of Mrs. Oscar Hanson, Friday, January 7th, for their annual election of officers.

But, as everyone felt so pleased with work of the officers of last year, they decided to re-elect them. They were as follows: president, Mrs. Oscar Hanson; vice president, Mrs. Clara Schrecker; secretary, Mrs. A. A. Feltworth; treasurer, Mrs. J. H. Wingard.

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The new year brings at least one relief. It is easier to make a 6 than a 5.

Taxes are now due and the rolls for the collection of state and county taxes are now at the Bank of Grayling, ready to receive payments.

Wednesday afternoon, Miss Erdine Mc Neven was hostess to seven of her girl friends in honor of her birthday anniversary, she being just "Sweet sixteen". Guessing contests were enjoyed during the afternoon, Misses Catherine Brady and Hazel Cassidy winning prizes. At 6:00 o'clock the guests were served a sumptuous dinner. Those present were the Misses Mary and Hazel Cassidy, Catherine Brady, Arville Tettu, Stephanie Karpus, Lucile McPherson and Mary Collen.

The second annual K. of P. party will be held at the new school gymnasium, Thursday February 3rd. The executive committee has arranged with Prof. Arthur Amsden of Saginaw, to furnish the 33rd regiment band orchestra of eight pieces to furnish music. This orchestra is considered about the best in Michigan and is to furnish music for the annual junior hop at Arvin Arbor. The floor is being scraped and sanded and with its space of 60x80 feet, it may be readily understood, this will be one of the finest ball rooms in the state. With this and the best dance orchestra, this is bound to greatly surpass any party ever held in Grayling. Three times as many dancers as usually attend our parties will find more than ample floor space for dancing.

DuPont News Items.

Miss Madeline Rose, daughter of Miller Rose, and of the DuPont office staff in Bay City, spent several days last week in the Company's office here assisting Miss Nelson.

Mr. Lunt of the Badger Co. left Sunday night for Boston and New York.

Mrs. Miller Rose, of Bay City, spent Sunday in Grayling and left for home Monday afternoon.

Charles T. Clark, general manager of the Bay City and Grayling DuPont works is in the city again for a few days.

Mrs. Eugene Ayette and Miss Madeline Rose had quite an experience catching rides on bobs while enroute to and from town lately. And Monday while sitting on the end board of a sleigh, the horses became frightened and the ladies were precipitated out of the sleigh. However they fell into a deep pool of water, thus the fall did them no harm. Fortunately they were both good swimmers and managed to keep afloat until rescued. Of course they are keeping this a secret.

Mrs. Paul Ford, of DuPont avenue is visiting her parents at Atlanta.

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The BIG SALE still continues and many money-saving bargains still await you. Do not put off coming in and getting your share of these good things. We never disappoint and hundreds of people look forward to these semi-annual sales. We are acknowledged leaders and set a pace that others can but poorly imitate.

Genuine, Bonafide Bargains and only strictly reliable goods are sold here

Grayling Mercantile Co.

The Quality Store

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200,000 Cases of Grip in 2 Cities: Epidemic Severe

Washington, D. C., Jan. 3.—The most serious epidemic of grip ever known threatens the United States from coast to coast and from the gulf to the Canadian line.

200,000 Victims in Two Cities. Cleveland—Epidemic began Dec. 10; widespread since Dec. 20. Probably 100,000 cases. Pneumonia present. Detroit—Epidemic general, estimated at 100,000 cases. Hospitals all crowded. Twenty-five deaths during December.

Chicago Tribune, January 4, 1916.

And This Geneva Remedy and Inhalator Kills Germs!

The REMEDY consists of a combination of powerful germ-killing ingredients, prepared and used in the most scientific and the very finest known. The INHALATOR provides a simple and easy way by which anyone can easily and quickly apply the Remedy as effectively as a skilled physician. The Geneva Remedy and Inhalator are endorsed by thousands of physicians and users.

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We want to send one to you at once. Give us your name and address and the complete outfit will come back to you by next mail. Do it now! You may need it tomorrow.

Philbrook Pharmaceutical Co.
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ARE YOUR KIDNEYS WEAK?

Thousands of Men and Women Have Kidney Trouble and Never Suspect It.

Nature warns you when the track of health is not clear. Kidney and bladder troubles cause many annoying symptoms and great inconvenience both day and night.

Unhealthy kidneys may cause lumbago, rheumatism, cramp of the bladder, pain or dull ache in the back, joints or muscles, at times have headache or indigestion; as time passes you may have a yellow complexion, puffy or dark circles under the eyes, sometimes feel as though you had heart trouble, may have plenty of strength but no strength, feel weak and lose flesh.

If such conditions are permitted to continue serious results may be expected; Kidney Trouble in its very worst form may steal up on you.

Prevalence of Kidney Disease.

Most people do not realize the alarm.

SPECIAL NOTE—You may obtain a sample size bottle of Swamp-Root by enclosing ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., and we will give you the opportunity to try it. They also send a book of valuable information containing many of the thousands of grateful letters received from men and women who say they found Swamp-Root to be just the remedy needed in kidney, liver and bladder troubles. The value and success of Swamp-Root are so well known that our readers are advised to send to Dr. Kilmer's for a sample size bottle. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. When writing be sure and mention this paper.

COSTLY CLOSING OF CANALS HAD NO REASON TO WORRY

How Freight Rates Have Been Increased by Interruption of World Traffic.

Trade is suffering severely from the closing of the canal, and the shippers who made use of it during the months it was in operation now realize vividly what the interoceanic waterway means to them. One western firm is sending two freight boats from the Pacific to the Atlantic, where charterers are highly profitable, and finds that it will cost \$15,000 more for the trip around the Horn than it would through the canal. Freight rates from the eastern to the western seaboard have also tripled. The effect of the stoppage of the canal is reflected in the greatly increased earnings of the transcontinental railroads.

"Just now there is a great deal of apprehension in shipping circles lest the Suez canal be temporarily destroyed by an act of war," says *Israe*. This would mean that the shipping from the Atlantic ports of the United States and Europe to the East Indies would have to double the Cape of Good Hope. With shipping so scarce as it is now, this would be a heavy blow to a commercial world already badly upset.

Economy of Language.
Passenger (entering car)—Fine morning, conductor.
Conductor—Fare.

For Mental and Physical Efficiency

there must be efficiency in digestion—but first, and more important, the food must possess sound nourishment.

In this respect no food supplies in more splendid proportion, all the nutritive elements of the field grains and is at the same time so fully processed for easy, quick digestion as

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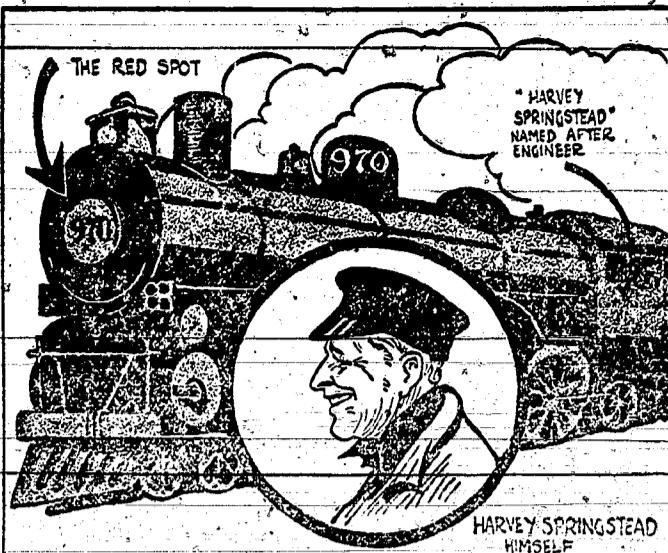
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Your health is the most valuable thing in this world! Think then act—today.

Science Now Cures Colds and Catarrh.

The Grip and Pneumonia now epidemic, like all infectious and contagious diseases, are caused by bacteria, and the germs get in through the nose and mouth. Kill these germs and the disease is gone. You can't get the Grip, colds, catarrh, or other infectious or contagious diseases if you kill the germs.

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HONOR FOR ENGINEERS

RAILROAD AWARDS RED SPOTS FOR EXTREME EFFICIENCY.

Eastern Line Has Peculiar Method of Keying Employees Up to Pitch of Perfection—Many Have Been Long in Service.

The other day there was celebrated the eightieth anniversary of the breaking of ground for a railroad at Deposit, N. Y. The peculiar part of the whole business is that it was due in great part to a woman's whim. Eighty-four years ago a girl of Ramapo, N. Y., married a man from the same town named Henry L. Pierson. The two went to South Carolina on their honeymoon. When the bride got to South Carolina she heard that in France the railroad telegraph lines in the Paris station of the Paris-Lyons-Mediterranean railroad began to be operated by women. In the south of France, on the Southern railroad, women have replaced men as porters and freight handlers in large numbers.

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United States Leadership.

The overwhelming leadership of the United States as a railroad nation is shown more clearly in a comparison of individual countries, for after 254,769 miles (including 63 for Alaska), Germany is second with only

39,511 miles, while European Russia is third with 97,542. Then follow in order, British India, 34,572;

France, 31,737; Canada, 29,233; Aus-

tria-Hungary, 28,611; Great Britain, 28,385; Argentina, 20,593; Mexico, 15,

800; Brazil, 15,491; Italy, 10,933;

Spain, 9,517; Sweden, 8,984; and

Japan, 6,811.

In relative growth, however, the

United States has not held its own,

for while the world mileage in five

years increased 9.6 per cent, our rail-

roads increased 7.7 per cent. This,

however, exceeds Europe's growth of

only 4.9 per cent. The Americas as

a whole, increased 10.9 per cent in

mileage in five years, while Asia in-

creased only 8.8 per cent. Africa

takes the leadership here with a

growth of 32.3 per cent, the high spot

being German East Africa, with 700

per cent. Australia's increase in

those respects is something to marvel

at, in addition to the red spot they are

allowed to have their name painted

in gold letters on the engine cab.

And when, at the end of his run,

such an engineer finishes his scouring

and polishing above the running board

and then turns his engine over to the

wipers, these gentlemen go at that

engine as though they intended to

clean it of the track altogether. And

when the engine is put in the house

the inspectors go over her with mi-

croscopes, and then go over her again

when the hostler takes her out again

for her run and turns her over to her

engineer. He wipes the steps where his

feet have stepped, lest they leave a

sooty imprint.

And of all these men (there are

four with their names on their en-

gines running into Jersey City) Har-

vey Springstead is the topnotcher.

You can see yourself perfectly in the

headlight of his engine; your figure

will become comically convex and

bread-in-the-crossover-pipe.

There are about forty-six men be-

longing to the Order of the Red Spot

who run into Jersey City, but, as has

been said, only four with their names

on their engine cabs. And a peculiar

thing about this class of engine driv-

ers is that none of them seems to

show the strain of continual engine

driving. All their faces are good nat-

ured and ruddy, and the eyes of all

are bright and keen. It was a sur-

prise to hear that Barney Walsh, who

drives No. 556, and looks about forty-

five, had been working for the rail-

road for just that number of years.

His explanation of his looks is very

simple.

"An engineer," says he, "never

breaks down gradually; he goes to

pieces all of a sudden." And here he

looked very shrewdly at his question-

er. "He gets," he continued, "what's

called locomotive ataxia!"—New York

World.

When Father Vanishes.

When mother starts to get remi-

cent and tells the children about what

a fine time she used to have when she

was a girl and what fun she had be-

fore she got married, father gets up

and takes a walk. He knows that

mother is going to get personal in a

few minutes.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Better Than Using Cars.

Fruits, cut and dried and packed in

cardboard boxes with cellophane, have

less weight than canned preserves and

are cheaper to transport.

Speaking of War.

There is always an under dog in a

dog fight; but in a cat fight there is no

such thing as an under cat. They're a

whirlwind.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

MARKET QUOTATIONS

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DETROIT—Last week steers, \$7.00; best, heavy weight, butcher steers, \$6.00-\$7.00; mixed steers, \$6.00-\$7.00; handy light butchers, \$6.00-\$7.00; light butchers, \$6.00-\$7.00; best cows, \$6.00-\$7.00; butcher cows, \$4.00-\$5.00; common cows, \$3.50-\$4.00; cattle, \$1.00-\$1.25; hogs, \$7.00-\$7.50; best heavy hogs, \$6.00-\$7.00; common hogs, \$5.00-\$6.00; prime fat hogs, \$6.50-\$7.50; good butcher hogs and steers, \$4.00-\$5.00; mixed, \$6.00-\$7.00; light grizzly heifers, \$5.00-\$6.00; fat cows, \$4.00-\$5.00; butcher cows, \$3.50-\$4.00; light mixed, \$4.00-\$5.00; light grizzly heifers, \$5.00-\$6.00; fat cows, \$4.00-\$5.00; feeders, \$6.00-\$7.00; light grizzly heifers, \$5.00-\$6.00; fat cows, \$4.00-\$5.00; feeders, \$6.00-\$7.00; light grizzly heifers, \$5.00-\$6.00; fat cows, \$4.00-\$5.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE Board of Supervisors OF CRAWFORD COUNTY

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS AND ACCOUNTS.

State of Michigan, County of Crawford:
The Board of Supervisors for said county.

Dated at Grayling, Jan. 3, A. D. 1916.

To the Honorable, the said Board of Supervisors:

Your committee on claims and accounts would respectfully submit the following as their report, and do hereby recommend that the several amounts scheduled herein be allowed, also that the clerk of this board be authorized to draw orders on the county treasurer for the same.

Claimant, Name

Character of Claim

Claim Allowed

1. Grayling Electric Co. lights	Character of Claim	Claim Allowed
2. Central Drug Store, paper	..... \$31.77	\$31.77
3. Salling Hanson Co., wood etc.	..... 6.00	6.00
4. G. L. Vallad, Supt. of Poor	..... 42.00	42.00
5. Dr. H. Knapp, treatments	..... 15.20	15.20
6. Grayling Machinery Repair Co.	..... 10.00	rejctd.
7. E. S. Houghton, Co. Surveyor	..... 11.00	9.00
8. Anna Nelson, stenographer fees	..... 14.60	14.60
9. Lon Collon, auto charges	..... 4.50	4.50
10. Ihling Bros, blinding	..... 8.00	6.00
11. Doubleday Bros. & Co., books and compasses	..... 7.00	7.00
12. Richmond Bakus Co., pens	..... 75.41	75.41
13. H. R. Pattengill, stationery	..... 2.36	2.36
14. Seeman Peters, stationery	..... 43	43
15. Dickinson, book	..... 1.08	1.08
16. Gregory, Mayer and Thom, pad	..... 4.00	4.00
17. Wm. McCullough, justice bill	..... 50	50
18. James McCreary, deputy sheriff	..... 22.50	22.50
19. Wm. H. Cody, sheriff's bills	..... 13.20	7.25
20. O. P. Schumann, justice bill	..... 197.72	178.52
21. Simpson Est., grass seed	..... 16.70	16.70
22. Andrew Brown, coroner's fee	..... 2.40	2.40
23. Peter Jorgenson, livery	..... 5.50	5.50
24. Crawford Avalanche, printing	..... 30.90	30.90
25. A. Kraus Est., supplies	..... 7.20	7.20
26. Wm. J. Miller, constable	..... 2.50	2.50
27. H. Petersen, Mds.	..... 1.40	1.40
28. John J. Niederer, fees and expenses	..... 1.80	1.80
29. Board of Supervisors, October session	..... 176.08	176.08
30. John H. Hagan, Exp. State equalization	..... 25.00	25.00
31. John Harrington, trustee officer	..... 30.30	30.30
32. M. A. Bates, telephone	..... 5.41	5.41
33. J. A. Holliday, Supplies for jail	..... 1.80	1.80
34. M. L. Mottet, door	..... 1.00	1.00
35. John Huin, stamps	..... 10.00	10.00
36. L. A. Potter, rubber stamps	..... 1.00	1.00
37. N. W. Mfg. Co., soap	..... 10.00	10.00
38. Floyd DeNevels, labor	..... 6.60	6.60
39. David Raymond, wood	..... 5.63	5.63
40. O. P. Schumann, printing	..... 32.00	32.00
41. M. A. Bates, telephone	..... 1.40	1.40
42. John J. Niederer, expenses	..... 25.00	25.00
43. J. M. Bunting, coal	..... 11.50	11.50
44. E. R. Chapman et al., Atty. fee Oct. court	..... 120.00	120.00
45. Chas. Fehr, bag pole	..... 24.3	34.63
46. Geo. Lathers, labor	..... 8.10	8.10
47. Chas. Amidon, labor	..... 21.15	21.15
48. Chas. Corwin, Farmer's Institute	..... 39.19	39.19
49. John Harrington, trustee officer 31.34	31.34

Dated this 14th day of December 1915.	JOHN J. NIEDERER, County Clerk.
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